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BARTS TO OPEN SEASON SUNDAY

Roster Announced; Club Will Practice Wednesday, Thursday And Friday

With the Placer-Nevada Baseball League schedule opening on Sunday, directors of the El Dorado County Bartlets met Monday night, announced a team roster and called three practices this week, on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 5 o'clock at the county fair grounds.

The recent storms have put a crimp in the club's practices.

The Barts journey to Roseville for the opening game and to Auburn for Sunday, April 14, opening their home schedule on Sunday, August 21, against Folsom, and it is hoped by that time that Marcus P. Bennett, Jr., Memorial Park, will be in shape for play.

While the Barts are tangling with Roseville Colfax goes to Auburn, Grass Valley to Folsom and the Roseville Merchants to Lincoln.

The hejira to Roseville will get under way at 10:30 o'clock Sunday from the Tahoe Greyhound stage office and Secretary Wallace M. Ripley states that the club management will appreciate hearing from fans who will be able to help with the club's transportation.

The club roster follows:

Players: Harold Webster, Diamond Springs; Bob Begovich, Plymouth; Chet Carsten, Camino; Bill Clark, Placerville; Bud Goodin, Placerville; Reggie Jackson, Camino; Harry Jasper, Placerville; Joe La Forte, Sacramento; Dick Michaels, Placerville; Louis Neil, Placerville; Ed Reeder, Placerville; Bob Russell, Placerville; Carol Land, Placerville; Bill Schroth, Placerville; Jim Schroth, Placerville; Edson Shinn and Ernest Scheiber, El Dorado; Perry Spanan, Placerville; Gordon Uhl, Camp Snowline; Aubrey Warren, Placerville; James Winstead, Camp Snowline; E. L. Sharp, Placerville; Hardy Tatum, Placerville; and W. C. Dooley, Smith Flat, trainer, and Sam Hern, manager.

Council Gets Road Plea

Fire Zone Extended In Ordinance Passed At Monday Meeting

William Cumming, Jr., was before the city council at its Monday night meeting to present a petition signed by thirty-six citizens, most of them fruit growers of the Fruit Ridge and Union Districts asking the city to repair Carson Road within the city limits.

The petition noted that the road outside the city had been repaired by the county and pointed out that the route is used by a large number of growers in bringing their fruit to Placerville for packing and shipment, and that the present rough condition of the road is injurious to the fruit.

Council members who had recently been over the road agreed that "it isn't necessary to have a sign to tell you when you cross the city limits" and it was indicated an effort will be made to include improvement of the road in the city-wide WPA street improvement project, if, as and when it gets into operation.

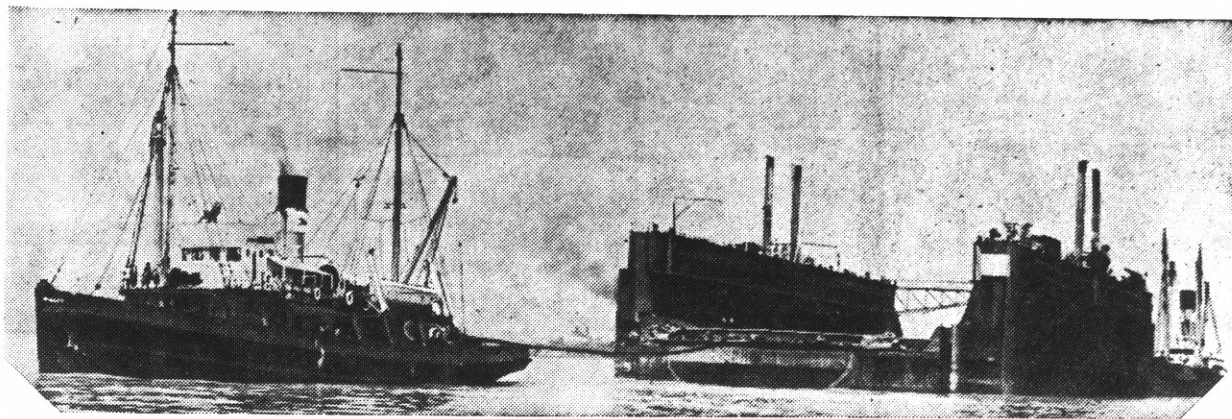
The council also passed at second reading the ordinance extending the fire zone from the Ivy House corner easterly along Main Street to Bridge Street, on the north side of the street, and to Turner Street on the south side of Main Street. The ordinance, which has been before the board for several meetings, will become effective thirty days after legal publication.

City To Assist Veterans In Cemetery Project

At the city council meeting Monday night, the City Council voted to assist Hangtown Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, to the extent of \$25 in labor and materials, in their improvement project at the Civil War Veterans' plot at Union Cemetery. The council had a letter from the camp inviting the city's co-operation in the work and the board authorized Marshall James P. Morton to assist in the total amount of \$25, covering both labor and material.

District Attorney Henry S. Lyon was a visitor Tuesday at Sacramento.

Navy Moves Huge Dry Dock from U. S. to Hawaii



Beginning her voyage down the Mississippi, through the Panama Canal and across the Pacific to Hawaii, this 6,000-ton floating dry dock, pictured at New Orleans, will strengthen U. S. Navy defenses at Honolulu. All but a few of the navy's largest warships can then be repaired at the island instead of having to make the long voyage back to the mainland. The move was suggested by the President.

DECIDUOUS FRUIT COMMITTEES FOR MARKET PROGRAM NAMED

Carl Visman, Willard Wilkinson Chosen On Pear Board; George Volz, Lee Veerkamp Are Alternates; Serve Until Feb. 15, 1941

SAN FRANCISCO — Selection of committees for the 1940 season to administer the Federal marketing agreement program for Bartlett pears, plums, and Elberta peaches produced in California was announced by the Division of Marketing and Marketing Agreements of the Department of Agriculture.

All members of three Commodity Committees and the handler members of the control committee were selected by the Secretary of Agriculture from nominees chosen by the industry. When the Commodity Committees meet they will nominate 13 grower members for appointment by the secretary to serve on the control committee of 25 members.

Commodity committees administer shipping regulations for each fruit. The control committee is in charge of general administration of the marketing agreement program.

Members and their alternates selected to serve on the pear committee include: Carl Visman, member, and G. H. Volz, alternate; W. R. Wilkinson, member, and L. W. Veerkamp, alternate, Placerville.

Selections for the plum committee, composed of seven members and their alternates, include: George Dunow, member, Auburn, and A. L. Saladana, alternate, Newcastle; Basil Rogers, member, and Howard Tudbury, alternate, Newcastle; H. N. Hansen, member, Loomis, and J. E. Van Riper, alternate, Newcastle.

"PARENTS' NIGHT" FOR CUB SCOUT PACK ON FRIDAY, APRIL 12

Mother and Dad are especially invited to attend a "Parents' Night" meeting of the Cub Scout Pack, which is being planned for Friday evening April 12th, at the Junior Community Hall on Benham Street. The Cub Pack usually meets on Fridays immediately after school, but for this special occasion and so that their fathers as well as their mothers may have the opportunity to see them at work and at play, the meeting will be held in the evening.

Under the leadership of Merl Thomas, Cubmaster, and Loren Atwood, assistant, the various "dens" of the pack are making plans for special stunts for the evening's program.

Vacaville Man Joins Power Firm Staff

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Silva and two children, formerly of Vacaville, are making their home in the cottage of Mrs. Katherine Brown, on Union Street, and Mr. Silva is employed locally with the Pacific Gas & Electric Company.

According to Manager Roy G. Strum, Mr. Silva's work will be in the company's service department and the new man will supplement the existing crew rather than replace other workmen. The growth of the company's business in Placerville and vicinity is reflected by the need for increasing the line service department.

D. K. Longhurst, Mrs. Nettie Longhurst and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dasher were in San Francisco on Monday visiting with Lester Longhurst who is a patient at the Fort Miles veterans' hospital. They report that Lester is improving rapidly although it may be necessary for him to remain there for at least another month, convalescing.

Seven members and their alternates for the Elberta peach committee include: P. P. Callison, member, and G. D. Midgley, alternate, Newcastle.

Shipper members and alternates of the control committee selected by the secretary were: Joseph Di-Giorgio, member, and P. M. Brady, alternate, San Francisco; B. G. Barton, member, and M. H. Hemenway, alternate, San Francisco; I. L. Woodin, member, and F. A. Harlow, alternate, Sacramento; F. W. Read, member, and Grove Dye, alternate, Sacramento; F. M. Small, member, Sacramento, and R. L. Tudbury, alternate, Loomis; F. D. Harkness, member, Fresno, and Max W. Gregg, alternate, Reedley; Wm. N. L. Hutchinson, member, Walnut Grove, and P. L. Taylor, alternate, Newcastle; R. S. Thomas, member, Fresno, and Charles Wileman, alternate, Cutler; Robert H. Dart, member, and J. G. Mitchell, alternate, Sacramento; W. A. Lambert, member, and R. C. Campbell, alternate, Sacramento; George H. Casey, member, and Joseph Guidera, alternate, San Francisco; F. H. DeCamp, member, San Francisco, and Fred J. Scott, alternate, Sacramento.

Members of the commodity committees will serve until February 15, 1941, and members of the control committee until March 1, 1941, or until their successors are selected.

ROAD COMMITTEE MEETS WITH DIRECTOR CLARK AT CAPITAL

Representatives of the Chamber of Commerce highway committee were at Sacramento Monday afternoon keeping an appointment with Frank W. Clark, director of Public Works, for the purpose of a conference on possible road work in the county during the approaching biennium.

Chairman John A. Raffetto, Jr., was accompanied by F. Norman Celio, of the committee, and by Chamber Secretary Wallace M. Ripley.

Secretary Ripley said that the several projects which the committee has in mind were generally discussed and that the director evidenced special interest in the chamber's suggestion for road improvement.

SOUTH SIDE CENTER TO MEET THURSDAY AND NORTH SIDE FRIDAY

The regular meeting of the South Side Farm Center for April will be held Thursday evening at the Summit School.

The North Side Center meets on Friday evening at Pilot Hill. These are the second and third center meetings of the month. The first was that of Coloma Center on Monday evening with Chairman Malcolm Veerkamp presiding.

The program included piano selections by Mrs. Gladys Akin; a report on the recent fruit department tour, by Earl Blair; a review of recent pear marketing meetings, by L. W. Veerkamp; and a discussion of pear thrips and bud mites, by Farm Advisor Lilley.

Dan Bassi was named chairman of the center's crop foster department and Chairman Veerkamp announced he would accept the chairmanship of the center's livestock department.

Allan's Dogs Given Placerville Boy

Tom, Dick, Harry And Nip To Spend Rest Of Lives At Strawberry

Sometime, when you stop at Strawberry Resort, you may have a chance to see four of "Scotty" Allan's five Alaskan dogs.

The four dogs, Tom, Dick, Harry and Nip, have been given by the well-known Alaskan and world traveler to Carlos Pierson, son of James K. Pierson, manager of Strawberry Resort.

The sled, one of several that "Scotty" owns, has been loaned to the resort by Mr. Allan, who disposed of his five-dog team so that he can be free to travel as his health requires. Tuck, the fifth dog, was given to someone else.

Mr. Pierson said Monday that the dogs will remain at Strawberry Resort and that there are hopes that in future winter seasons, visitors to the resort will have the opportunity to see the dogs in action, hauling a sled about the snow areas of the vicinity.

Health Clinic In 2nd Day

Shingle And Rescue To Be Visited Wednesday; North Side On Thursday

The smallpox vaccination and diphtheria immunization clinic of the county health department moves into its second day Wednesday, with visits scheduled at Shingle Springs at ten o'clock in the morning and at Tennessee school, in the Rescue district, at 11:30 o'clock.

At Shingle, the pupils of French Creek, Latrobe, Brandon, Carson Creek and United Schools also will attend the clinic.

At Tennessee school, pupils of Green Valley, Live Oak, Deer Valley, Salmon Falls, Negro Hill and Springvale will attend.

Thursday morning at ten o'clock the clinic moves to Georgetown for the schools of that vicinity and at 11:30 to Penobscot for the schools of that district.

The clinic opened on Tuesday with a meeting at ten o'clock in the morning at Camino school, in which schools of the eastern section joined; and continued with another meeting at Diamond Springs, for the schools of the south side of the county, at 11:30 o'clock.

Friday the clinic moves to Placerville Grammar school.

Wilfred Olmstead, of Angwin, spent the weekend with his parents at Camino.

Mr. and Roy Calvin Bishop, of Placerville, are the parents of a daughter, Bonnie Joan, born March 27th.

3 NEW COURSES IN FIRST AID

4 Others Are Definitely Being Planned By County Red Cross Chapter

As a direct result of the completion of the instructors' course in first aid, conducted in Placerville last month, which qualified twenty-nine instructors, El Dorado County Chapter of the Red Cross is able to announce the launching of three new standard classes in first aid and to report plans for beginning four others are definitely under way.

A. W. Wilson began teaching a first aid class Monday night at the Diamond Springs Lime Company plant. Enrollment in the class is restricted to plant employees.

The second class to be taught by an instructor qualified in the recent special training class will open in Placerville on Monday night, April 8, at the court room in the courthouse. All who are interested in taking the course are welcome to enroll. The class will be conducted by Clyde R. Berriman and Robert Norrish.

Residents of Camino and vicinity are welcome to enroll in a first aid course which will open Tuesday evening, April 9, at the Camino Farm Center clubhouse. A. L. Hamilton and N. C. Bradley will conduct this class.

In addition, according to E. W. Zueger, first aid chairman of the Red Cross chapter, other classes are being planned at Missouri Flat, Summit, Georgetown and at Rescue and interest in arranging for classes has been shown by other rural communities.

The twenty-nine instructors who are available to conduct standard first aid training courses, were qualified in a special training class last month in Placerville which was conducted by Ralph Carlson, from the Pacific Coast headquarters of the Red Cross, at San Francisco.

ASSEMBLYMAN THURMAN HONORED SUNDAY AT COLFAX DINNER

COLFAX—Sixty friends including members of the state legislature, attended a dinner in honor of Assemblyman Allen G. Thurman in the Colfax hotel.

Speakers included Senator Jerrold L. Seawell, president pro tem of the state senate; Assemblyman Gardner Johnson of Berkeley; Don Allen of Los Angeles; and Dr. Robt. A. Peers of Colfax.

Paul Ullrich, Nevada county Republican central committee chairman, arranged the dinner and acted as chairman, assisted by Oswald Marson.

Thurman represents the Sixth Assembly district and is a member of the special interim committee investigating present state administration costs.

VACCINATION OF PETS ADVISED TO ASSIST RABIES CONTROL

Dogs Slain Over Weekend Both Had Rabies, Analysis Shows; Warmer Weather May Bring More Widespread Infection Evidence, Said

The City Council considered the presence of rabies among dogs and cats in the community at its meeting Monday night and received a report that two dogs slain over the weekend had both been proven by laboratory analysis to have had rabies.

In the consideration of further safeguards against a wider spread of the infection, Councilmen discussed the situation generally and took

Gold Quill For Bill Dillinger

Scout Award Presented At Tuesday Meeting Of Lions; Clinic Announced

Bill Dillinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dillinger, of Placerville has the distinction of receiving the first Gold Quill award presented in El Dorado County by the Boy Scouts of America.

The pin, rewarding the Scout's efforts in newspaper work, was presented to him at the Tuesday meeting of Placerville Lions in a special occasion arranged because the recipient was unable to be present at last week's Boy Scout Court of Honor.

On that occasion, so that the presentation would be in the nature of a surprise to the Scout, the committee had kept its plans secret and Bill, not knowing what was coming, was at the Junior play practice and did not attend the Court of Honor.

In view of the special interest in the award, Scout officials arranged to have the presentation made before the Lions Club, which was done. Young Mr. Dillinger made a short talk in response and explained his absence from the Court of Honor and told the Lions that if he were not a member of the Junior play cast, he would urge them to be sure to see "Little Geraldine" on Friday evening at the high school auditorium, because it is a good show.

John H. Palmer, district superintendent of Placerville Grammar school called the club's attention to a crippled children's clinic to be held in the county in the near future and stated that all crippled children are eligible to share in the benefits of the clinic.

School Superintendent K. W. McCoy said the clinic date is May 17. Lion Allen Otto, who is leaving the club owing to removal from Placerville to Sacramento, expressed his appreciation for having been a member of the club during his residence in the community.

Scheduled entertainment for the meeting was the showing of several reels of motion pictures taken by Florence Reckers. The pictures were in the field of winter sports and showed the intensive winter sports development in the area east of Auburn.

Another reel of the pictures showed winter sports activity in and near Lover's Leap Ski Area east of Placerville and emphasized the contention of many winter sports devotees that the area affords excellent ski grounds for experienced sportsmen.

PARKING PROBLEM CONTINUES TO PERPLEX CITY COUNCILMEN

Continuing among the "unfinished business" before the city council is the matter of some action to assist in providing more parking spaces in or near the downtown area.

At the council meeting Monday night, the subject was discussed again. Councilman Charles Molinari and City Attorney Thomas Matil, who had been named a committee on the furtherance of the plan to park on railroad property west of Bedford Avenue, reported they had been unable to complete their work and asked for additional time.

At the same time, Mayor George Faugstad appointed Councilman A. H. Greeley and Councilman Sid Price as a committee to interview the owners of the Sigwart lot opposite the bell tower plaza on Main Street.

It is expected that both committees may report at a meeting of the council now scheduled for 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon.

James K. Pierson was at San Francisco during the weekend.

no further action, evidently concluding that the quarantine ordinance contains all of the authority necessary at this time.

However, an appeal for public co-operation, and especially the co-operation of the owners of dogs was voiced by Councilman Charles Molinari.

He declared that he believes every person who owns a dog or cat should have the animal vaccinated against rabies infection.

"That makes that dog or cat a stopper against the spread of the infection and is, as well, a protection for that particular animal should it be bitten by a rabid other animal," Molinari said.

The Councilman's views were endorsed Tuesday by Dr. L. J. Anderson, a veterinarian.

"Veterinarians advocate vaccination of pets in situations such as we have in Placerville," said Anderson. "With the quarantine established, the additional precaution of vaccination is an effective safeguard against the spread of the infection."

"This situation is still alive and still may be said to be threatening," Anderson said. "As the weather turns warmer, we need not be surprised if quite a number of rabies cases are shown because the disease develops more rapidly in warm weather."

City officials revealed that the dog of the E. T. Benney family, which had been attacked by a dog owned by C. C. Wisdom on Sunday, had been killed also by city officers. The Wisdom dog had rabies, according to a report on an analysis of the head received late Monday afternoon.

"This was the second rabid dog killed during the weekend. On Friday, a dog subsequently was proven to have had rabies, was killed at the George Young home on Carson Road."

After the Benney dog had been bitten by the Wisdom dog, the Benney dog was killed.

Man Saves Self From Storms

Pino Grande Logger, Feared Dead, Walked Into Camp Late Monday

Louis Marcel, missing since Tuesday of last week and feared to have drowned or to have died of exposure in storms above Pino Grande, walked into Camp Fourteen of the Michigan-California Lumber Company Monday night.

He had wandered several miles from where he was last seen and reported to officials that he had come upon a stock range cabin where he found refuge from the storm. The cabin was stocked with supplies and he made himself comfortable until the storm abated.

Marcel had disappeared on Tuesday of last week while enroute to Camp Fourteen with Matt Hancock, a fellow worker. Their car bogged down in the road and Hancock went for help. When he returned, Marcel was gone.

Search was instituted the next day and proved fruitless. As the storm continued and Marcel failed to appear, it was concluded he must have died of exposure or had, perhaps, fallen into a swollen creek.

Monday evening he walked into camp. Swift Berry, manager of the company, said that as near as he is able to make out Marcel found refuge in a cabin on the Forni or the Veerkamp cattle range.

Fred Giles Acquitted In Amador Court

Reports from Amador County state that in a hearing in Superior Court, Fred Giles, formerly of this city and more recently resident at Plymouth, was found not guilty and was discharged before Judge A. L. Pierovich. Giles was charged with a statutory offense.

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Neighborhood NEWS

LOTUS NOTES

Gold Trail Grange of Coloma initiated a large class of members in the order on Wednesday night of last week. The work was put on by members of Placerville Grange. Among those who became new members were Chas. Rice and wife, Mrs. Chas. Hines, George Pankey, Mr. and Mrs. Parker and Henry Kane. After the work was over all sat down to a nice supper prepared by the Grange ladies which was enjoyed by all, especially the new members.

A very pleasant surprise party took place at the J. F. Wagner home near here Sunday. The occasion was a surprise to Mrs. Wagner and sure it was as the lady knew nothing of the affair until all assembled at her home. Among those present were EX-supervisor J. B. Wagner and son Charles Wagner and wife, ad his daughter, Mrs. Ray Lafille and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Lamborn, Mrs. Robinson, of Camino, and Earl Flynn of Lotus, with the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Wagner and their two sons, Walter and Herbert Wagner. George Wagner, his wife, and two daughters, of Coloma, were also in attendance.

Among those seen on our streets the past rainy week were Sam Veerkamp and some friends of Granite Hill, Mrs. Bertha Henry, Mrs. D. M. Metcalfe and son Charlie of Coloma and George Luneman, the stockman of Webber Creek district, who was riding around with our dredgers during part of the afternoon hours.

Archie Lawyer and wife went up to the 5-Mile Terrace last Monday to a birthday dinner for their son-in-law, Clarence Tidd, who had his 25th birthday. Clarence's wife made him a nice birthday cake for the occasion. This was Archie's first trip to the Terrace to see his son-in-law's new home.

The past week has been a very wet one and rain falling most all the week, causing high waters and much damage done throughout the state, especially in the lower valleys. Saturday was a cold and rainy day, the temperature being 56 degrees. Sunday was a partly cloudy day with some sunshine, temperature being 88 degrees. Last Saturday with the heavy rains raised the river here and at 3 p. m. quite a large stream was running over the highway and through the slough around by the Lotus postoffice. This is the second time the water came through the slough this year. The heavy rains in February caused the river to raise and sent the water around by the post office for the first time. We have not had so much rain in the past two months in over 50 years. Owing to the high waters the two large dredgers operating on the river here were compelled to lay off for a few hours Saturday afternoon.

The apple and pear trees are beginning to bloom now and in another week Lotus and Coloma valleys will look very nice. Early plum and peach trees are in full bloom. Indications point to a large crop of all these fruits owing to the past cold weather the trees having been held back from blooming sooner as they generally blossom late in February.

Mrs. Annie Bassi celebrated her birthday at her home near here on Tuesday last. The ladies do not like to have their age known so we will omit her age.

We are informed that Chris Uhlenkamp, father of Mrs. Lottie Galleher, who resides near Rescue, was taken by the Orelli ambulance to the Placerville Sanatorium Sunday suffering by a fall and a bad cold.

Mrs. Cora Miller of Granite Hill was attending to business in our town Monday morning.

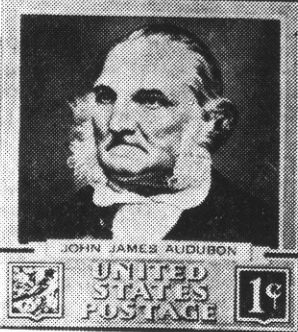
What has become of our friend Cecil Barker? We have not seen him out from his Placerville home for some weeks past.

Posters are out for another dance in Coloma Saturday night given by the El Dorado Hot Shots. The Orchestra manages to have a good crowd to all their dances given at Coloma.

Science Series



DR. WALTER REED



JOHN JAMES AUDUBON

Periodically new sets of postage stamps are printed in series. Latest in the famous Americans' motif are the scientists. Here are two: Dr. Walter Reed (top), medical doctor, and John James Audubon, ornithologist.

STRONG GAINS IN SALES ARE REPORTED BY FORD COMPANY

DEARBORN, Mich.—Strong gains in retail sales of cars and trucks manufactured by the Ford and Lincoln Motor Companies were scored during the second ten days of March, it was announced here today.

Sales of Ford cars and trucks and Mercury cars, for example, totalled 26,250 units during this period, an increase of 31 per cent over the same period a year ago. The total also represents a strong seasonal gain, being 47 per cent higher than the total for the 10-day sales period during the middle of February.

Truck and commercial car sales during the 10 days totalled 5,481, a gain of 34 per cent over the same 1939 period.

Lincoln-Zephyr sales made a still larger percentage gain during the mid-March period, with an increase of 55 per cent over the first 10-day period of the month.

The increased sales were made in spite of severe weather in many parts of the country, it was pointed out, and reflect strong underlying business conditions.

Mrs. Irma Lawyer was among those at the Rebekah's card party in Placerville Friday evening.

A number of Lotus and Coloma folks attended the card party at the Episcopal Guild Hall Wednesday evening among them being Mr. and Mrs. H. Reaside, Miss H. Reaside, Henry Bacchi, Irma Lawyer and Mrs. O. Metcalfe and Ella Norris, of Coloma.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ronzone, who have been staying at the home of Mrs. Lottie Galleher the past week, have returned to their home in Placerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bowman, of the Four Corners, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Reaside Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. W. Leal and daughter, Coleen, were also present. Mrs. Lottie Galleher joined the party later in the evening.

Archie Lawyer has taken delivery of a new Chevrolet truck and is busy breaking it in these days. Willis Hamilton and wife were visiting in Lotus on Sunday.

Several groups of people drove down to see the high water Sunday. Among them being Alvin Marchini and Andrew Marchini and family.

CITIZENS ECONOMY BLOC FORMED TO COMBAT NEW TAXES

SAN FRANCISCO—Organization of the Citizens Economy Bloc of California—a state-wide, non-partisan association of taxpayers, formed to support the work of the bipartisan economy bloc in the legislature, and to oppose any and all increases in state taxes—was announced here today.

Former Lieutenant Governor Geo. J. Hatfield, a Merced County rancher, heads up the Citizens Economy Bloc with Leslie E. Burks, secretary of the San Francisco Real Estate Board, serving as its secretary.

Vice presidents of the association include: Dr. Henry G. Watters of Watsonville, past State Commander of the American Legion; C. L. Preisker, chairman of the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors, and William M. Garland of Los Angeles, past president of the California Real Estate Association.

"Taxes for state government in California have more than trebled in less than six years," said Mr. Hatfield, president of the group. "If that debauch of extravagance, relief racketeering and reckless misuse of public funds is allowed to continue, California will be plunged into moral and economic bankruptcy."

"The Citizens Economy Bloc is composed of taxpayers who are determined to aid in taking the racket out of relief and in out-pressure the pressure gangs which have raided the State Treasury and made California the easy mark of the nation. He have no axes to grind, except economy axes. But we intend to give aggressive support to a members of the economy bloc in the legislature, who have had the courage to fight against new tax impositions and to demand a ceiling on state taxes."

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NEW RESTRICTIONS ON STATE RELIEF IN EFFECT

SACRAMENTO (UP)—California invoked drastic restrictions on unemployment relief today in a further attempt to discourage migration from other states and force relievers to find work in private industry.

Three main provisions of the new

relief policy will:

1. Require three years residence in California to qualify for relief, instead of one year.
2. Limit family budgets to \$58 per month, in addition to surplus commodities. Any income within the family will be deducted.
3. Bar Aliens illegally entered prior to July 1, 1924, and require proof of entry after that date. An alien's family is not barred, however.

City Plants Trees At Municipal Playground

Councilman Molinari, reporting for the swimming pool committee at the city council meeting Monday night, stated that nine silver maple trees are being planted at the playground to provide shade for the area.

Mayor George Faugsted, in connection with the same subject, received a report from Marshall James P. Morton, stating that the needed repairs at the Junior Community Hall are under way.

Dairy Cows In State Gain In Numbers

SACRAMENTO—Milk cow numbers in California were increased 1 per cent during 1939, and heifers are being retained for milk cows, indicating further increase is probable, according to the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service at the State Department of Agriculture.

A total of 25,000 dairy cows was shipped into the state during the year, this being 2,000 more than in 1938, and sufficient to affect tuberculosis reactors taken out under the eradication program.

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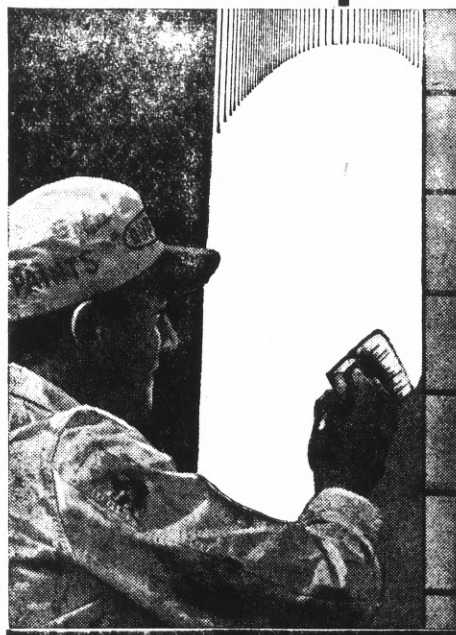
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SETTING eggs, best meat poultry; R. I. Red-Cornish Hybrid; 35c doz. Shackleton Rte 1, Box 103A Placerville. m29-12t*

TOILET \$3.50, enameled ice chest \$15. Apply Wudell's Store. m29tfc.

HORSES AND MULES DECLINE IN NUMBER IN STATE DURING YEAR

SACRAMENTO — Numbers of horses in the state decreased 1 per cent during 1939, according to the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service at the State Department of Agriculture.

Increased shipments of horses from other states in 1939 partly offset losses and the decreased production of colts.

The average farm value of California horses, at \$91 per head, was the same as recorded for the previous year.

Mule numbers in the state declined 3 per cent during 1939, to the lowest level since 1883. Average January 1 value per head was \$102, compared to \$108 a year earlier.

LIVESTOCK CASH INCOME FOR YEAR SHOWS INCREASE

SACRAMENTO — Estimates of cash income from livestock sources in California in 1939 totaled \$205,351,000, slightly higher than the corresponding total for the previous year, the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service at the State Department of Agriculture today reported to State Director of Agriculture W. B. Parker.

When the cash income from livestock sources is added to that from all crops and adjustment allowance, the total for the state's agricultural income is shown as \$572,431,000 in 1939.

The corresponding total in 1938 was \$545,039,000.

Cattle Valuation Up \$3,000,000

SACRAMENTO — The cattle population of the state decreased about 3 per cent during the year, according to the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service at the State Department of Agriculture.

The average per head of cattle increased in January, 1940, and was at the highest level since 1932. The total inventory value amounted to \$97,017,000, and was \$3,000,000 above the previous year's value.

Poultry "Census" Shows 3 Per Cent Increase

SACRAMENTO — There were 15,654,000 chickens on California's farms January 1, 1940, 3 per cent more than on January 1, of the previous year, and 11 per cent below the 1929-39 average, according to the Federal-State Crop Reporting Service at the State Department of Agriculture. The total inventory value of chickens January 1, 1940 was \$12,064,000, which was 7 per cent less than on January 1, 1939.

16TH CENSUS TO BE TAKEN BY 12,000 WORKERS STARTING TUESDAY

WASHINGTON (UP)—Eleven leaders in public and private life appealed today for unstinting cooperation of citizens in the 16th decennial census starting tomorrow.

Their appeal was made as 120,000 enumerators awaited last minute instructions for the most comprehensive checkup in history of people, homes and farms. The last word from Secretary of Commerce Harry L. Hopkins to those who will "count the noses" was to be polite and remember that their task is not an "inquisition."

RAINFALL

July	.06
August	.00
September	1.63
October	2.65
November	.93
December	3.41
January	16.75
February	14.70
March 2	.11
March 11	.08
March 16	.08
March 24	.62
March 26	1.65
March 27	1.12
March 28	.40
March 29	1.32
March 30	2.52
March 31	1.23
Total for month	9.13

Season total 49.20
The normal to April 1 is 34.77 ins.
The normal to May 1 is 38.21 ins.
The normal rainfall for an entire water year, July 1 to June 30th, computed over a fifty-year period, is 40.46 inches.



JOY HODGES, BABY SANDY and Hugh Herbert, in "Little Accident," the feature for Tuesday

"LITTLE ACCIDENT" IS EMPIRE FEATURE FOR TUESDAY

Adventures of a handsome law officer during colorful days of the old west—and the astonishing schemes by which he keeps bandits and outlaws in a state of perpetual bewilderment, are found in "Desperate Trails." Universal's action drama at the Empire Theatre on the Tuesday bill.

Johnny Mack Brown has the starring role in the story which is said to blend comedy, romance and unexpected thrills.

The combination of Hugh Herbert, veteran comedy favorite and Baby Sandy, is seen in the film version of the famous stage hit, "Little Accident," which is the feature. Florence Rice and Richard Carlson play the romantic leads, and Joy Hodges is cast as Miss Rice's romantic rival.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Public Sale of Motorcycle to Satisfy Lien

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, April 25th, 1940, at the hour of 10 a. m. on said day, at the premises known as Camino Garage, situated at Camino, California, the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, one Harley Davidson Motorcycle, 1936 Colorado License Number 40-2, engine number 36V-LD2273, owner A. G. Meyers, for lien on said motorcycle in the sum of \$75.00, together with costs of said sale.

Said auction and sales will be made under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 427 and 428 of the Vehicle Code of California, and for the purpose of satisfying the lien of the undersigned on said motorcycle, together with costs of said sale, said liens being for services rendered the owner of said motorcycle, in caring for and safekeeping the said motorcycle.

Dated, Camino, California, April 2, 1940.
CAMINO GARAGE
By EARL LEVITT, Lien Holder
April 2-9 2t. Placerville Republican.

\$500,000 Gem Theft In Los Angeles Store

LOS ANGELES (UP)—A woman who crouched for hours in a wash-room was sought today as the key figure in a jewel burglary that may reach \$500,000.

Police said the woman had apparently hidden in a shoe store adjoining the Donovan and Seaman jewelry store until after closing time Saturday. Then she crept out and in at least four accomplices who looted the jewelry store of loose diamonds, rubies and emeralds.

Poison Gas Hazard At San Pedro Harbor

SAN PEDRO (UP)—Missing somewhere in the harbor district today were two tin cans which, if they are opened, will pour out enough deadly gas to kill "a whole battalion of men."

The cans contain Kyklo-B concentrate, a powerful fumigating gas used in destroying vermin in ship's holds. The cans apparently fell off a government truck near the waterfront Saturday.

FEDERATED CHURCH DINNER WEDNESDAY EVENING AT 6:30 O'CLOCK

The annual potluck dinner and business meeting of the Federated Church will be held at the church parlors on Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

The business meeting will be called following the dinner and there will be reports by departmental heads of the church on the activities of the past year. Rev. Phillip P. Payne and Rev. Verne Brown will attend the meeting.

Special business of the evening will include the election of three members of the Board of Control.

Mrs. Doris Capps is here from Los Angeles to spend the week with her mother, Mrs. L. W. Loomis, of El Dorado, who is recovering from a severe cold.

TEACHER PRESIDENT INVITES GENERAL SUPPORT FOR CALIFORNIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK. OPENING ON APRIL 22ND

SAN FRANCISCO.—Declaring that the "public schools are the peoples' schools" and that "teachers are the instruments of the people to make the schools what the people want them to be," John F. Brady, president of the California Teachers Association, issued a statement urging general public cooperation in the twenty-first observance of Public Schools Week beginning April 22.

Brady, head of the 38,000 teachers who are members of the California Teachers Association, is chief deputy superintendent of schools of San Francisco.

His statement continued: "Public Schools Week annually offers a splendid medium for enabling the people to make an intelligent appraisal of what is going on in their schools.

"Teachers, as servants of the people, invite criticism of either the content or the method employed in the schools. Public Schools Week is a time when this opportunity is particularly offered. It is a California institution. It is our hope the week continues to grow in public interest. An informed public opinion will always stand as a bulwark to safeguard our public schools system.

"Citizens are always welcome to class rooms but are especially invited to visit their neighborhood schools during the forthcoming public schools week."

The California Congress of Parents and Teachers and the California department of the American Legion have already pledged their full cooperation to the week's observance.

KIN OF COUNTY FOLK LAID AT REST AT MICHIGAN BAR

Services were held at the graveside at Michigan Bar cemetery on Tuesday afternoon for Maggie Brown, 70, who passed away on Friday at Sacramento.

Mrs. Brown was a native of Illinois, wife of the late Pons Brown, and was the mother of five children among whom was the late Ernest Brown whose children, Ernest, formerly of this city and now of Sloughhouse, and Mrs. Matthew Hoover, of El Dorado are among her eleven grandchildren. Five great grandchildren also survive her.

FIFTEEN ENUMERATORS "COUNT NOSES" IN EL DORADO COUNTY

The office of Robert L. Shields, district census supervisor, at Roseville, announced Tuesday morning that the fifteen enumerators who will conduct the 16th decennial census in El Dorado County are:

Gilbert Dunn, Gordon Neibling, Rex Quiberg, Miss Constance Euer, Miss Theresa Akin, Mrs. Josephine Haslam, Mrs. Alta Douglas, Mrs. Dorothy Saunders, Mrs. Ruth Abbott, Mrs. Ollie Irwin, Mrs. Barbara Elias, Mrs. Della Baum, Mrs. Georgia Gardiner, Mrs. Mabel Veerkamp and Eugene Ward.

The enumerators had been qualified by examination from a list of approximately twenty applicants. They began their work Tuesday morning as the census officially got under way throughout the nation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wilson and son Burt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Vonz of Fruit Ridge. Mrs. Wilson is a sister of Mr. Vonz. Phil's father, L. J. Vonz, of Stockton, was also up over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Gardner, of Pleasant Valley, are the parents of a son, Fred Leroy, born on Mar. 31st.

WHIST PARTY

At El Dorado Wednesday, April 3rd. Cash door prize. m28-a3*

WOOLIES FROM THE QUEEN LONDON, (UP)—A parcel of nearly a hundred "woolies" has recently been received at the headquarters of the Royal Air Force comforts' committee with a simple little note saying: "From H. M. The Queen."

"I'VE ADVISED A LOT OF PEOPLE TO BUY A PONTIAC!"



"A lot of people look at the size and quality of a Pontiac and decide without ever investigating that Pontiac's price is beyond their reach."



"They spot me in my big, new Pontiac and inquire how I can afford it. Few realize that Pontiac's price is right down with the lowest."



"I tell them to take a good look at a Pontiac price tag. It's an eye-opener. And that's why I'm driving a Pontiac."



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IT'S AMAZING the impression of high-priced luxury the low-priced Pontiac has given to the American public. In a recent survey, nine out of ten people guessed the Pontiac price from \$100 to \$200 higher than the actual figure. And 49% of those who guessed so high said it was worth that difference!



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